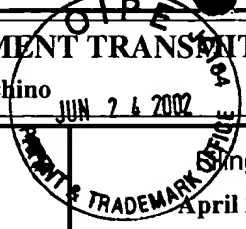


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Invention: **VIDEO MONITORING AND CONFERENCING SYSTEM**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.

☐ A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.

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THIRD PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add new claims 62-74 as follows:

62. (New) A digital video recording and monitoring system configured for use with a display device, comprising:

an input for receiving video material having an image size and a frame rate;

circuitry for digitally compressing the video material;

a first video storage medium which is randomly addressable;

a second video storage medium which is serially addressable;

an output for delivering the video material to the display device;

a user control; and

processing circuitry operative to perform the following functions under user control:

- a) store the digitally compressed video material in one or both of the first and second high-capacity video storage media, and
- b) output the video material for monitoring to the display device.

63. (New) The digital video recording and monitoring system of claim 62, wherein the

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